

JOHN DRIGGS NOMINATED

RESULT OF THE NEW JERSEY REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The Taylor Opera House was resplendent with flags and bunting. The platform that was presented was unanimously adopted—Big Vote for the Candidate for Governor.

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 19.—Taylor opera house filled rapidly with delegates to the republican state convention toward noon. The theater was resplendent with flags and bunting. Chairman Franklin Murphy of the state committee called the convention to order at 12:10 p. m. Rev. Dr. Hanlon of Pennington seminary offered prayer and John Y. Foster read the call for the convention, from which it appeared that the total number of delegates was 842, thus making it necessary that the successful candidate should have 422 votes.

Mr. Murphy then introduced Congressman Mahlon Pitney as temporary chairman. On taking the chair Mr. Pitney spoke of the foreign policy as emasculated of everything truly American. Turning to state affairs, he said that the people were tired of being robbed and plundered.

As Garrett A. Hobart stood up to speak for Passaic he was lustily cheered. This was taken as a compliment from the friends of John W. Driggs, whose special champion Mr. Hobart has been in this fight.

The Voorhees men were equally boisterous when William H. Connors arose at the head of the Union delegation and the cheers were renewed when he named Congressman Charles N. Fowler on one of the committees.

A recess was taken until 2 p. m.

The delegates resumed business at 2:15. The committee on permanent organization recommended that J. Frank Fort of Essex, be permanent chairman. The rules of the last convention were adopted.

The platform presented was unanimously adopted.

That part relating to national affairs proclaimed:

We reaffirm our devotion to the national policy of our party; our opposition to any attempt to impose upon this country a debased or depreciated currency and our firm belief in the wisdom and beneficence of a tax upon imports which will afford protection to American industries and adequate revenue.

The rest of the platform pledges the republican party to the continued work of reform.

John W. Driggs was nominated for governor on the third ballot when numerous counties which had voted either wholly or in part against him on the previous ballots went solidly over to him. He received 437 votes.

High Road of Racing.

Providence, Sept. 19.—The racing at Narragansett to-day was of a high order and was witnessed by 25,000 persons, the largest crowd on record. Clemmie B., O. H. Budd's mare who met with an accident, was shot this morning.

Her leg was broken by a fall, the result of a collision. Three races were completed for to-day and four heats of the fifth event, a \$2,500 stake for trotters were covered. Ariana won three straight in the 2:40 class stake and Lyric performed the same trick in the 2:24 class. Both horses won with ease.

She Lost Her Diamonds.

London, Sept. 19.—The Westminster Gazette says that Mrs. Langtry has returned from Baden Baden to London and made application to the Union Bank for the restoration of jewels valued at \$40,000, which she deposited in the bank before leaving London. She found that the bank on August 24, under an order in handwriting resembling that of Mrs. Langtry and bearing a counterpart of her signature, requesting the bank to give the jewels to "Bearer," had delivered them as directed. Mrs. Langtry declares that the order was a forgery and has placed the matter in the hands of the police, who thus far have been unable to trace the forger or the jewels.

Steamer Edam Sunk.

London, Sept. 19.—The steamer Edam, from New York September 6 for Amsterdam, foundered off Star Point on the southern coast of England this morning after a collision. Her passengers and crew were saved.

J. P. Morgan Owns New England.

New York, Sept. 19.—Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan was asked to-day if he was prepared to confirm the purchase by him of the control of the New England Railroad company. He replied that it was quite true that he had purchased control of the reorganized company.

NORTHER FINALLY WON.

He Fell Behind in the First Two Heats But Steadied Down.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 19.—Five races were on the program at the state fair to-day and all were finished in three straight heats with the exception of the 2:14 trot. Northern ought to have won easily, but broke in the first two heats and fell too far behind to catch the leaders. After the second heat he steadied down and had no trouble in defeating Selma F., who won the first and second heats.

His Leg Broken.

Chattanooga, Sept. 19.—This afternoon while driving over Lookout Mountain Governor Upham of Wisconsin jumped from his carriage and broke his leg. The horses became frightened, and the road being precipitous the occupants of the carriage jumped, with the result stated.

MISSING WITH \$50,000

Disappearance of Teller of Merchants' Loan and Trust Co. of Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Ross C. Van Bokkelen, receiving teller of the Merchants' Loan and Trust company, is missing with about \$50,000 of the money of the institution, which is one of the largest banking concerns in the west. It is thought that he has gone to Mexico. The discovery of the shortage came about when a representative of the McCormick Harvester company called at the bank in regard to a deposit of \$35,000 made last Friday. An examination of the books showed that it had not been entered, and also that Van Bokkelen had suddenly left on Saturday, ostensibly on his vacation. The bank officials, becoming suspicious, made a hasty examination of the missing teller's books, and it was shown that in the last year and a half the amount appropriated was almost \$50,000.

Lost off Mexican Coast.

Washington, Sept. 19.—The state department has been advised by Consul Gorman at Matamoros, Mex., of the shipwreck and total loss of the lumber schooner Garnock off the Mexican coast, fifteen miles from Bagdad.

ON THE BALL FIELD.

Results of the Games in the Big League Yesterday.

At Boston—
Boston... 3 3 0 1 4 2 3 0 *—13
New York... 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 2—5
At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn... 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 2—5
Baltimore... 1 3 0 0 1 0 0 0—14
At Philadelphia—
Philadelphia... 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—9
Washington... 0 0 0 0 2 5 1 0—8
At Cleveland—
Cleveland... 2 2 0 0 0 2 2 *—8
Pittsburgh... 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—3

THE CONSOLIDATED ROAD.

The Official Notice From the Company to the Stockholders—Various Important Matters.

President Charles P. Clark of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company has issued a call for an annual meeting of stockholders to be held at the office building in this city October 16. Among the matters to be acted upon are the absorption of the Stonington steamship line and a ratification of the general assembly bill authorizing an increase of the steamboat company stock of \$1,000,000; also the ratification of acts authorizing the absorption of the Union Wharf company and the Tomlinson Bridge company, whose stock was bought by the railroad recently. The president at this meeting will present his annual statement.

THE NEW ENGLAND ROAD.

The first formal statement in regard to the control of New England was made by a news agency yesterday which quoted Mr. J. P. Morgan as saying that he held control of the property, had offered this control to the New Haven road at exact cost and had no doubt that the offer would be accepted. No provision has apparently been made for the minority stockholders.

NOTES.

The last trip of the White Mountain express will be made September 28. This train, equipped with palatial coaches, has done a fine business this summer.

The Consolidated road is to experiment with double headlights, two lamps, side by side, in the box. It is claimed that this will give a much stronger light, and will be of special advantage on curves.

Two new "robber proof" mail cars have just been built at the railroad shops in New Haven. They are different from anything ever built in this country. The marked feature is the absence of platforms at the car ends. Platforms are usually the objective points for mail robbers, and if there are none, then the danger of a raid will be much decreased. The ends of the cars are rounded, and vestibule into the train, thus entirely preventing anyone from getting a footing on the car at the ends. Each car has steps at the end, but when the mail clerks enter, a trap door shuts down. The brake is operated by a brass wheel, and the brake is inside. There are doors at the sides to receive the mail, as in the common mail cars. At each end are doors communicating with the adjoining cars, but they will be kept securely fastened.

New Police Precinct Station.

The city's board of finance held a short session yesterday morning for the purpose of acting upon an order from the court of common council, under which it is authorized to purchase at a price not to exceed \$3,000, a suitable site for the erection of a new precinct station building in the Howard avenue territory.

Owing to the fact that some of the members of the board were unable to remain at the session the necessary length of time, to finish up the matter, the board adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The board will then take carriages and will inspect all of the locations presented to them for consideration. There are now in view two sites, one on Daggett street, near the factory of the Seamless Rubber company, and another on Howard avenue. The board is not confined to these two locations and would be willing to consider others if submitted to them.

The matter of the purchase of the small plot of ground in the rear of the city hall and which is now owned by McDonald & Ransom, was taken up, but was laid upon the table until today. The land is needed for the site of the police barn and the land upon which the barn now is will be utilized for a public morgue. The matter of price is to be settled by arbitration.

ROMAN CATHOLICS PROTEST

AGAINST THE OCCUPATION OF ROME BY ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.

Resolutions Voicing the Sentiment of the Meeting—The Pope a Prisoner in the Vatican—Italian Demonstration To-day Will Not be Interfered With.

Three hundred Catholics from the different parishes of the city assembled at an adjourned meeting at St. Patrick's hall, Wallace street, last evening, in response to a call of the Catholic clergy, for the purpose of recording their protest against the occupation of Rome by the Italian troops on the 20th of September, 1870.

The Catholic clergymen present were: The Revs. John Russell, P. Mulholland, M. McKee, John Corcoran, J. E. Carter (French), Daniel F. Lawler, Jeremiah Curtin, Lillie, John D. Coyle, D. O'Connor and Ermenegildo Battaglia (Italian).

The Rev. P. Mulholland of St. Francis' church presided and Alexander Emery was secretary. Father Mulholland stated the object of the meeting. It was for the purpose, he said, of protesting against the usurpation of the papal dominions by the Italian government, and the continuation of the practical imprisonment of the holy father within the walls of the Vatican. The reverend chairman then called upon the Rev. John Corcoran of St. Francis' Orphan Asylum, chairman of the committee on resolutions for the committee's report.

Father Corcoran then read the following report and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the Catholic clergymen and laymen of the city of New Haven, Conn., held in St. Patrick's hall, on Thursday, September 19, 1895, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Friday, September 20, will be the twenty-fifth anniversary of the unjust and iniquitous seizure by the Italian government of the Pontifical possessions; and

Whereas, the aforesaid government proposes to celebrate on that day the quarter-century of its assault on the papal city; and

Whereas, it is our conviction that the head of the church cannot be the subject of any civil power without losing that independence which the Sovereign Pontiff ought to enjoy in the exercise of his august authority for the preservation of the Catholic faith and Catholic union; and

Whereas, the approaching celebration on the part of "United Italy," to rejoice over that injustice and wrong, is but another insult thrust at our holy father and his rights. Now, therefore, and for other similar reasons, be it,

Resolved, That it behooves us as loyal adherents of Pope Leo to unite our voice with that of Catholic Christendom in giving expression in a formal manner to the heartfelt sympathy which we entertain for his sacred person deeply grieved by the forthcoming unrighteous demonstration.

Resolved, That we, the Catholic clergy and laity of the city of New Haven, enter our solemn protest against the occupation of the Rome of the popes by the present incumbent of the Italian throne, as a high-handed act of injustice and a gross violation of the rights of the entire Catholic church.

Resolved, That we, his faithful spiritual children, pledge the Roman Pontiff our most pious feelings of filial devotion, unalterable attachment and unswerving loyalty while we fervently pray for our beloved holy father, Leo XIII., that God may deliver him from his enemies, and restore him to the independence so necessary for the fulfillment of the duties of his divine office.

Resolved, That a copy of the preamble and resolutions be adopted at this meeting be forwarded to the Right Rev. M. Tierney, bishop of Hartford, for transmission to his holiness, Pope Leo XIII., and that each of the newspapers of New Haven be furnished with a copy of the same.

Signed by the committee:

Rev. P. Mulholland, Rev. J. M. Russell, Rev. M. McKee, Rev. John D. Coyle, Rev. John Corcoran, Rev. D. M. Lawler, Rev. M. O'Sullivan, Rev. R. Early, Rev. D. O'Connor, Rev. John Kennedy, Rev. Synnott, Rev. T. J. Shanley, Rev. J. A. Schaele, Rev. Ermenegildo Battaglia, Rev. Peter Lynch, Michael Fahey, Lawrence Curtis, Ed. O'Mara, Daniel Barbauld, F. Cameron, Hon. W. C. Robinson, Martin Clark, J. Bechel, Joseph Oakes, James A. Fogarty, Phillip Ryan, Alexander Emery.

Terrence B. Kelley said it would be well for the meeting to correct a misapprehension of the object for which it had been called which prevailed among certain classes. Some people professed to believe, he said, that the Catholics of this city might interfere with the Italian celebration of the event against which the meeting was called to protest, which was to take place to-day.

Father Russell said he was glad Mr. Kelley had mentioned the matter. He did not think it was necessary to warn Catholics not to interfere in any way with the proposed celebration. They knew their duty to their country and their God too well to do so.

Father Ermenegildo Battaglia said that although Italians would celebrate Victor Emmanuel's usurpation of the papal dominions and the wresting from the pope of his temporal power, yet all Italians did not bear that sentiment. The true and loyal Italian Catholics

protested against usurpation as well as the American or other Catholics.

After remarks by Father Corcoran and Father Lawler, assistant pastor of St. Patrick's R. C. church, Father Coyle, pastor of St. John's R. C. church, Father Lynch, Mr. Emery, Lawrence Curtis, Mr. Kelly and others, the meeting adjourned.

The committee on resolutions was composed of all the Catholic priests of the city and two representative laymen of each church and was appointed last Sunday evening. A meeting was then held on Tuesday evening, when the resolutions were approved for presentation to the meeting last evening. The committee received a unanimous vote of thanks for their labors at last night's meeting.

CHILDREN ON THE GREEN.

Nearly Ten Thousand of Them Watched the balloons for the first time in the city.

One Came Down in Eld Street—The First Boy to Capture a Ticket

A very pretty sight was presented on the green yesterday afternoon when a large extent of the green between Temple street and Church street was completely filled with an immense throng of children gathered to see the "Brownie" balloons go up, to see Palmer Cox, and also to get, if possible, one of the tickets, one of which was placed in each balloon, and this latter was a most cogent one to most of the youngsters who had assembled. There were nearly 8,000 children present and one gentleman remarked, "I didn't think there were so many children in New Haven."

Twenty-four balloons in all were to be sent up, and all of these went up successfully except two, one of which caught fire after getting just above the top of the flag pole, while the other caught fire before it left the ground. The youthful crowd surged up close to the men who were sending up the balloons, and some venturesome little fellows came prepared with pocket full of pebbles which they threw at the paper globes as they left the ground in the hopes that one might be punctured and drop so they could get the ticket, but their efforts in this direction were unavailing, while the pebbles, harmless to the balloons, fell in showers on the heads of the bystanders.

During the sending up of the balloons, Palmer Cox appeared, having just come from New York. He was accompanied by Marc Klan, and as he stepped from his carriage, he was greeted with applause by his youthful friends. The following gentlemen were present in the circle where the balloons were inflated and sent up: G. B. Bunnell, F. A. Southard, W. H. Van Buren, E. G. Morton, E. W. Starr, George Peterson, William Fisher, Irving T. Cox, Palmer Cox, Frank Deechon, Marc Klan and Charles Jefferson, son of Joseph Jefferson, the actor.

One of the balloons came down in the yard of Mrs. Edward Buttrick on Eld street, and the yard was at once alive with a crowd of boys, who had followed the balloon in its course. Mrs. Buttrick, however, succeeded in getting the ticket attached to the balloon. Probably the first boy to capture one of the balloons with a ticket in one was Johnnie Brennan of Lafayette street, who was riding on a wagon on East street when one of the balloons came down near him. The wind carried a number of the balloons over to or beyond Fair Haven, annex.

PHYSICIAN SUED FOR SLANDER.

Dr. Munch of North Madison Sued by Postmaster Hull—Munch Now in Jail.

Dr. Munch, a young physician of North Madison, is in the county jail in default of \$5,000 bonds. Munch is the defendant in a slander suit for \$5,000 brought against him by J. Myron Hull, postmaster of North Madison. It is alleged in the complaint that Dr. Munch has uttered false and slanderous statements against Postmaster Hull, the particular one on which the suit is based being to the effect that Hull opened his, Munch's, letters, and kept them away from him and that in consequence he was obliged to go seven miles to another postoffice to mail and receive his letters. The papers in the case were drawn by Attorney E. P. Arvine of this city and served by Constable Frank Bartlett of North Madison. As Dr. Munch could not furnish the necessary amount of bonds he was brought to the jail in this city.

County Health Officer Hoadley also had a complaint against Munch for practicing without a license and sent Constable J. Samuel Seranton of this city to North Madison to serve it yesterday, but the latter could not find Munch, owing to the fact that he was in the county jail here.

Edward Shaunnassy, through his attorneys, Clerk and McNamara, has brought suit against Pierce Gillis, a Chapel street saloonkeeper, to recover \$100 damages alleged breach of contract. It is alleged that Gillis promised to take Shaunnassy into partnership, provided he helped him to build up his business, and now refuses to live up to his agreement.

YALE COLLEGE.

The Largest Freshman Class in Many Years.

Professor Thomas D. Seymour, chairman of the committee of the Yale faculty having in charge the entrance examination, said yesterday that of the 400 candidates for the academic department 120 had been accepted in full, 192 had been given conditions and 50 had received preliminary certificates to enter this fall. This makes a total of 362, of whom about 350 are expected to enter next week. The freshman class of the academic department last year numbered 328.

Failure a Waterbury.

Waterbury, Sept. 19.—Henry Ramp, grocer at 236 Washington avenue, has assigned to Theodore Zander of New Haven, with nominal assets only.

LESS APPLICANTS FOR AID

ENCOURAGING REPORTS FROM THE ORGANIZED CHARITIES.

Quarterly Meeting of the Directors of the Association Yesterday—Interesting Report From Agent Preston—The Finances of the Association in Good Condition.

The quarterly meeting of the directors of the Organized Charities association was held yesterday afternoon at the society's building, 200 Orange street, and was largely attended. Jean Francis Wayland presided and during the session there was considerable discussion in reference to the best manner of carrying on the work of the association during the coming winter, but no definite conclusion was reached and consequently no action taken.

The most interesting report of the meeting was that of Sherwood O. Preston, the agent of the association for the quarter ending July 31. His report shows that the cash balance on hand May 1 was \$588.37, the quarter's receipts \$3,100.99, the necessary expenses of the quarter \$2,667.16, leaving a balance on hand August 1 of \$1,022.20. The total indebtedness of the association is \$6,347.24, included in which is a mortgage loan of \$5,500.

During the quarter there were 641 cases reported to the office of persons needing work or assistance. Of this number 155 were residents previously known and 96 made their first appearance at the institution. The non-residents amounted to 390. The report also shows an increase of residents over the same quarter of the previous year of 52 and a decrease of non-resident applicants of 497, making a total net decrease of 445.

The cases were disposed of as follows: Work was furnished to 111, relief to 275, 26 were aided to reach friends, etc.; 26 were turned over to the courts or police, 25 were exposed as frauds and 178 were dismissed because they refused to work or did not need any attention or assistance. Seventy-four residents were given employment in the woodyard and laundry and paid in cash, 22 being put to work in the woodyard and 52 in the laundry.

During the quarter 323 lodgings and 215 meals were provided for transient applicants, the cost of the lodgings amounting to \$38.30, and of the meals \$46.85, a total of \$85.15. Of this amount there was expended in charity \$40.20, and the balance of the expenditure about 53 per cent. was worked out in the employment departments. The number of boxes of wood sold during the quarter was 4828, equivalent to 1005 cords, and the average number of washings done weekly amounted to 90.

The report is the most encouraging since the organization of the association and it is said that it is indication of better times. The directors were very enthusiastic over the excellent showing made by the report of the agent. One item in the report which was particularly gratifying to the members of the board of directors being that which showed a total decrease in the number of applicants for aid of 445.

A PROCESSION OF 25 CARS.

The Great Trolley Ride of the N. E. O. P.—About 1,000 Persons in the Party—An Enjoyable Evening.

The members of the N. E. O. P. of New Haven and some of their friends last evening had a trolley ride for which twenty-five cars of the Fair Haven and Westville road were called into service. There were about sixteen hundred persons in the party and an exceedingly pleasant evening was spent. They first went to Westville, then to Fair Haven, east, then to Yale field, and finally to Savin Rock, where they stopped fifteen minutes, returning to the green at about 11:30.

The committee having the ride in charge consisted of W. C. McIntosh, chairman of Charter Oak lodge, C. H. Himes of Beacon lodge, C. Romberg of Centennial lodge, C. Henze of Mozart lodge, P. E. Whalen of Winchester lodge, D. A. Plummer of Fort Hale lodge and A. J. McGill of Gladstone lodge.

THE FOOTBALL SITUATION.

Negotiations for a Yale-Harvard Game Now Going On—Football Leaders in New York—November 15th an Available Date for a Game.

For some time past the question as to whether there would be a Yale-Harvard game of football this fall has been agitating Yale and Harvard students, alumni and friends of the two institutions, and it seems now that the question will soon be definitely settled. It is said by those of the Yale team who are in a position to know, that there is not much doubt that a meeting will be arranged. This, however, is a matter concerning which the gentlemen having the matter in charge can form no definite idea until after an understanding has been reached between the representatives of the two universities.

Wednesday night Manager Foote of the Yale team, who has been in New York since Tuesday, telegraphed to Captain Thorne to come to New York and meet him. A conference of Yale and Harvard football representatives was held yesterday afternoon, but nothing can be learned definitely concerning it. Captain Thorne states that there is nothing new in the situation, but says that there is a fair chance of a game with Harvard. In the meet does take place, it will probably be on November 15, this being the most available date, as Yale plays Princeton September 22, and Harvard meets the University of Pennsylvania September 27, and this would leave time for both teams to put in some hard practice before November 15.

INTERESTING CHURCH QUESTION.

Most Universalists Deed Property to the Convention—Subject Laid Over for One Year at Bridgeport—Hartford Officers.

Bridgeport, Sept. 19.—There was a spirited discussion at the sixty-third Universalist convention which opened its second day's session in the Universalist church here this morning. This was over a motion that all the Universalist churches of the state deed their property over to the convention. This, it was claimed, would guarantee that the churches would always be under the supervision of a wise body and that no individual church could change its ideas and drift away from Universalism. It was thought proper that the church in this city be the first to take this step, but Trustee James Staples strenuously objected. The late P. T. Barnum made an impassioned beseech to the local church, and the trustees will not get the money until next April. He claimed that if the church was swallowed up by the convention the Barnum heirs might object to giving up the bequest and say that the Universalist church here no longer existed. Mr. Staples carried his point and the matter was laid over for one year.

The committee on resolutions reported on the death of several members and a number who were obliged to be absent on account of old age. The following officers of the convention for one year were then elected: President, W. S. Perkins of Meriden; vice president, C. J. Lincoln of Hartford; secretary, E. H. Grant of Stamford; treasurer, M. M. Whittemore, Norwalk; trustee for two years, E. C. Pinney, Stamford; for three years, Joseph D. Danbury; delegate to general convention, J. Smith Dodge, Stamford; lay delegates, E. A. Tracy, Norwalk; Roger M. Sherman, New Haven. F. J. Borden, Boston, resigned as trustee of Universalist Publishing house of that city, and C. H. Cooley of Hartford was appointed his successor. The next convention will be held in Norwalk. The convention closed this afternoon with a sermon by Rev. W. A. Dickerman of New Haven.

OF LOCAL INTEREST.

A handsome and unique weather vane is exhibited in Perry's carpet store on Chapel street, which will be presented to the Masonic home at Wallingford by J. K. Coburn of 318 Elm street. Mr. Coburn, when engaged in active work before age compelled his retirement, was an expert machinist, and this vane well attests his skill.

Bids for the contracts to build the new Post office building on Church street were opened yesterday, but the contracts will not be signed until to-day. Manager Poll stated yesterday that he expected to break ground for the construction of the building Monday.

William B. Bosley, Yale '92, L. S. '94, has been appointed assistant professor of constitutional, corporation and real property law at the Hastings College of Law at San Francisco, Cal.

Lamp Inspector Henry Hopkins is making a careful tour of the city for the purpose of securing data to be used in the preparation of a large map giving the exact location of every lamp in the city, a thing which does not now exist.

Cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. David Lyman of La Grange, Ill., announcing the birth of a son. Mrs. Lyman was Miss Edith Rowe of Orange street, and her husband graduated from the class of Yale '95.

Invitations for the Mitchell-Hopkin wedding are out. The ceremony will take place at high noon on October 1 at Edgewood and will be a quiet affair.

Chairman A. C. Sternberg of the legislative reunion committee of 1895, has received 125 favorable responses and but thirty declinations. The New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad will issue free return tickets, which will be distributed at Colonial Park. Mr. Sternberg has written the other railroads on the subject and expects favorable responses. The date is next Monday.

About thirty-five members of the Dwight Place church went yesterday morning to Dixon's hotel, next to the Connecticut building, and enjoyed a short dinner. The day was perfect for such an occasion and among those who attended were Deacon and Mrs. North, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sperry, Mrs. Charles Gray, Dr. and Mrs. Twitchell, Mrs. Buckingham, Mrs. John Platt, S. A. Clark, Mrs. Hale, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Schoonmaker, Mrs. Umberfield, Mrs. Higby, Mrs. Clapp, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. MacDonald.

John Welch, of Washington street, was arrested yesterday and locked up charged with drunkenness and breach of the peace. The breach of the peace was against George Levis and Special Constable Williams, and the offense was committed on the central green.

Thomas Kinney, Jr., of Portland, aged twelve years, was arrested yesterday afternoon for stoning an Air Line passenger train yesterday morning. The stoning of trains has been frequent and Kinney is thought to be the ring-leader. He will go to the reform school.

A special examination of candidates for druggists' licenses was held by the state pharmacy board in Hartford September 11, at which five candidates were examined. The following were successful: James J. McInden of Waterbury and Thomas H. Young of New Haven.

At a meeting of the Christian Endeavor union held at Dwight Place church Wednesday evening the banner should have been awarded to the Taylor Congregational church society, their percentage being 83.3 and that of the Dwight Place only 65.4. This mistake was not discovered until after the meeting adjourned. This is the third consecutive time the banner has been won by the Taylor society.

THE SCOTS TO CHALLENGE

A FIFE BOAT WILL BE THE ONE TO CONTEST FOR THE CUP.

The Conditions That Will Govern the Races for the Trophy Will Be That There Shall Be an Absence of Large Excursion Parties at the Scene of the Races.

New York, Sept. 19.—In regard to the latest statement of the New York Yacht club anent the late America's cup match ex-Commodore James D. Smith said this evening:

"We only have caused its issuance because we believed it might be better so to do. It does not cast any aspersions upon Lord Dunraven, but simply states the fact. No meeting of the America's cup committee will be held until a return to New York of all the members of the committee. A special meeting of the New York Yacht club which will be called will wind up the affairs pertaining to the Dunraven-lee-lin match or, more properly, the match arranged by the Royal Yacht squadron and the New York Yacht club.

The Evening Telegram this evening says that the members of the New York Yacht club feel quite sure that a challenge for the America's cup will shortly be made by a syndicate of Scotch yachtsmen. In fact notice of the probability of this challenge has already been received.

The challenge will come from the Clyde. The boat will be a Fife boat, if the plans of the proposed challenge eventuate and the only condition which will govern the races will be the requirement of the certain secrecy which may insure the absence of large parties of excursionists at the scene of the races. There may be no possibility of insuring any such conditions, but it will be attempted. This matter has not been brought before the New York Yacht club or its committees and is the confidential information of a prominent Scotch-American.

ANOTHER TROLLEY PARTY

Given Last Evening by Ladies of the Trinity M. E. Church.

The Ladies' Social union of the Trinity M. E. church gave a delightful trolley party to their friends last evening. Four cars were gaily decorated and carried the merry throng over to East Pearl street church, where a bountiful supper was enjoyed, after which the ride was resumed, going to Morris Cove, Lakes Saltonstall and Whitney. Among those present were John Leonard and wife, Coroner Ell Mix and wife, A. C. Bushnell and wife, Walter French and wife, Mrs. John Morse, C. N. Caldwell and wife, Councilman Harry Grinnell and wife, James Bishop and wife, James Church and wife, Dr. B. Hubbard and wife, Dr. Hodson, Dr. B. Prince and wife, Miss Minnie Morse, Miss Charlotte Snider, Miss Lulu Curtis, Misses Susie and Grace Leonard, Walter Dudley, Ashley Willis, Charles W. Mix, Charles S. Warren.

Dade-Hackett.

There was a very pretty wedding at St. Mary's church at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, when George Dade of New York, son of Conductor George T. Dade of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Annie Hackett of Temple street, this city. The bride wore a most becoming gown of white muslin with satin ribbons and lace accessories and carried a handsome bouquet of white roses, and wore a white hat. Her maid of honor was Miss Rose Moriarty, who was very prettily white muslin, with yellow trimmings and hat to correspond. Charles Dade was best man. The ceremony was by the Rev. Father Kelly, after which a luncheon was partaken of at the bride's residence, to which only immediate relatives were bidden, after which the young couple left on a brief wedding tour to many points of interest.

PUTS OUTING.